CLAIMS

[1] An absorptive article comprising:

a main absorber a including liquid-permeable top sheet, liquid-impermeable back sheet, and an absorber disposed between the top sheet and the back sheet, absorbing and retaining fluid, and including a back-side region, a crotch region, and a belly-side region arranged in the longitudinal direction from the back side to the belly side in a state of wearing; and

a left-and-right pair of side-flap portions provided on both sides in the width direction of the main absorber, wherein

the lower surface of the main absorber and the back sheet located at the side-flap portions are joined, and

each side-flap portion has a highly-moisture-permeable region having a larger moisture permeability as compared with the lower surface of the main absorber, between the width edge of each side-flap portion and each side edge of the absorber,

the back sheet is formed by a micro-porous, liquid-impermeable film composed of a resin containing an inorganic material as a filler,

the highly-moisture-permeable region is formed in the liquid-impermeable film,

the side-flap portions in the back-side region are provided on both sides thereof in the width direction with a left-and-right pair of waist flap portions extended from both side edges of the side-flap portions,

the waist flap portions are provided on both sides in the width direction, with a pair of fastening members being able to engage with the liquid-impermeable back sheet in the belly-side region in a state of wearing,

the highly-moisture-permeable region is formed in the side-flap portion, not formed in the lower surface of the main absorber,

each side-flap portion has an elastic member disposed stretched in the longitudinal direction of the main absorber, and

the highly-moisture-permeable region is disposed at an inner side of the elastic member disposed in the side-flap portion.

[2] The absorptive article according to claim 1, wherein

the side-flap portions are disposed in two rows on each side.

[3] The absorptive article according to claim 1 or 2, wherein

the moisture permeability is elevated over a region more widely in the center portion in the longitudinal direction of each highly-moisture permeable region than in the end portion thereof.

[4] The absorptive article according to any one of claims 1-3, wherein

the elastic member is disposed, under a stretched state, to form a gathered portion having a larger moisture permeability as compared with the highly-~~moisutre~~-moisture-permeable region of the side-flap portion.

[5] The absorptive article according to any one of claims 1-4, wherein